

ANNUAL ELECTION HELD BY POST

Johnny S. Klink is Elected President—Big Membership Campaign is Planned for the Near Future.

Election of officers at Slick's hall by Post K, T. P. A., last night proved to be the most exciting and hardest fought the Post has ever had. Johnny S. Klink, representative of Bradner Smith Paper Co. of Chicago, who ran for president against J. N. Jacobson of the Jacobson, Peterson, Keltz & Kauffer, was elected by a good majority.

The other officers who were elected are as follows: Edward Pfeifer, first vice president; Edward Collier, second vice president; O. F. Stevens, secretary and treasurer; D. J. Kelly, Edward Pfeifer, Thad Keller, Charles Sponholtz and C. L. Smith, directors; H. A. Leininger, hotel committeeman; C. L. Smith, railroad committeeman; L. Hammerschmidt, legislative committeeman; William Ransberger, good roads committeeman; Christ Walz, sick and relief; William Bennett, employment, and W. D. Schaefer, chaplain.

Delegates to the state convention to be held at Indianapolis May 5, 6 and 7 are O. P. Stevens, J. A. Kauffer, C. J. Sponholtz, D. J. Kelly, S. S. Jones, J. N. Jacobson, C. L. Smith and Thad Keller with the following alternates: A. E. Peltz, Edward Pfeifer, J. L. Wilder, F. C. Robb, William Bennett, E. G. Amm, H. L. Locher and C. S. Wolcott.

Delegates to the national convention to be held at Omaha, Neb., June 13 are D. J. Kelly and C. L. Smith with J. S. Klink and R. E. Collier alternates.

D. J. Kelly, the retiring president, presented the newly elected president with a green gavel trimmed with gold gilt letters which caused considerable amusement. Arrangements were made during the business session for a state board meeting to be held at the Oliver hotel Mar. 19 when members from the various posts of the state will be present. A banquet will be an important feature of the evening.

A membership rally will take place Mar. 20 when auto parties will make a canvass of the city visiting prospective members.

TOOK WOOD FROM CARS

Five men were arrested shortly before 6 o'clock last night by Special Agent Shannon of the New York Central Railway Co., for stealing wood from freight cars setting on the tracks just west of Prairie av. The men were charged with petty larceny and will be placed on trial Monday morning in the city court. They are Joseph Garner, 1900 S. Lincoln st.; Jacob Lipinski, 809 Palaski st.; John Narlick, 1822 S. Lincoln st.; Frank Pinterich, 1510 Catalpa av.; and Steve Rbetz, 1301 Indiana av.

ROOF ON FIRE.
Fire at the residence of John G. Elliott, 823 Forest av., at 9:30 o'clock Saturday night, did about \$5 damage to the roof. Central company and hose company No. 6 made the run.

INSURANCE MEN MEET

Discuss Ways and Means of Extending Business.

Better ways and means of selling life insurance were discussed at the bi-monthly meeting of the Northern Indiana Agents' association of the Northwestern Life Insurance Co., held Saturday in the office of Mack & Johnson on S. Main st. The organization is an educational one and the subjects considered are relative to insurance salesmanship. Two sessions were held, one during the morning and another following a luncheon held at the Oliver hotel at noon. Agents from 29 counties in northern Indiana were present at the meeting.

ROOF IS SET ON FIRE

The house on the farm of Deputy Street Commissioner William Fites at Dumore and Miami sts. was threatened by fire Saturday morning at 8 o'clock when a defective flue set the roof ablaze. However, quick work by the chemical of Central station saved the house. Damage amounted to not more than \$25.

NEW RESIDENCE AND FACTORY TO BE BUILT

E. Louis Kuhns to Construct Colonial Home on E. Jefferson Blvd.

A residence and a factory building will be among the new buildings to be started within the next 10 days. J. H. Haberle, proprietor of a machine shop at 311 Hydraulic av. is planning the construction of a two-story brick building as an addition to the buildings already used by the factory. The residence of Louis Kuhns, vice president of the Chamber of Commerce at 1405 E. Jefferson st. will be of colonial architecture and constructed of brick.

The new machine building will be 32 feet wide and 80 feet long. It will be used to accommodate the enlarged business of the concern responsible for its construction. It will cost approximately \$4,000.

Architects and contractors in the city said Saturday that continued bad weather conditions were not favorable to continued building activity. The spring has not opened as rapidly as expected, and the present depression in building and constructive circles will continue, they say, until pleasant weather arrives. The year is expected to become one of the most successful in the history of the city, since many buildings and new homes are planned.

Four permits for buildings were issued from the office of the board of public works through the past week. They were as follows:

Arthur Miller, remodeling, 614 Rush st., \$447.
Felix Duzak, one-story repair shop, 2320 W. Division st., \$200.
J. B. Haberle, two story brick factory building, 311 Hydraulic av., \$4,000.
Indiana Title and Loan Co., one-story residence, Bertrand st., \$700.

ROB EXPRESS CO.
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., March 6.—Thief of \$2,000 in money and \$1,000 worth of jewelry from the Adams Express office in the Union station here was reported to the police Saturday. The money and gems were stolen during the night while all the employees were busy loading packages on trains.

MORE RELIGION COUNTRY'S NEED

Rev. Victor von Kubinyi Speaks on "Labor and Capital" at High School — Foreigners Should Study English.

Religious teaching as an important means of improving present conditions between labor and capital, was emphasized by Rev. Victor von Kubinyi in an address on the subject, "Labor and Capital," at the high school auditorium Saturday night. "It has been claimed," he said, "that all movements tending to better conditions have their origin in religion. It is my belief that the only way to improve conditions at the present time is to give religious training to every individual."

"The chief causes of trouble in American industry today are found partly in the fact that the foreign workers feel their inferiority and partly in the contention held by some Americans that all foreigners are undesirable and inferior."

"Many class all people coming from other countries together and lay the mistakes of a few of these at the feet of all. Many of these foreigners have a good education, but fail to gain any social standing because they do not understand the American language. It is the duty of this class to learn the language of this country, in order that they may understand its laws and customs."

"To understand socialism, which is being advocated as a means of bettering conditions, one must not only study books written on the subject, but he must study life as well."

"The principles of the I. W. W., which is sometimes confused with socialism, are as far from socialism as South Bend is from Russia. At an I. W. W. meeting which I attended last fall, the main topic discussed by the speakers was absolute equality, which I consider as being impossible. Absolute equality would take the individuality from every person, which would be most undesirable."

After he had addressed the English speaking language who were present, he repeated his talk in Hungarian for the benefit of the foreigners who attended the meeting in large numbers.

DISMISS CHARGES FILED TWO YEARS AGO

Charges of assault and battery filed against Felix Lubens, 1317 S. Carroll st., in city court two weeks ago upon a warrant prepared in June, 1913, were dismissed by Deputy Pros. Nye Saturday morning following the failure of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, complaining witnesses, to appear. The Johnsons formerly lived at 710 LaPorte av. but since Lubens' departure from the city have moved to Minnesota.

BANK CLEARINGS SHOW DECREASE DURING WEEK

Bank clearings for the week ending Friday show a decrease of \$39,925 as compared to the clearings for the corresponding week in 1914. The total for the current week is \$1,643,251; for the corresponding week last year it was \$1,677,173. The daily figures for the past week were: Saturday, Feb. 27, \$258,319; Monday, \$319,424; Tuesday, \$268,090; Wednesday, \$237,236; Thursday, \$210,520; Friday, \$349,562.

WILL BEGIN SERIES OF REVIVAL MEETINGS HERE



REV. H. PALMER.
Rev. H. Palmer, pastor of the Swedish Mission church of Cleveland, O., will begin a series of evangelistic meetings at the Swedish Evangelical Mission church of South Bend on March 9. He will be assisted by the pastor of the local church, Rev. O. K. Moberg. The meetings will close on March 18. On Sunday, March 14, three special services will be held.

CATCH MAN IN CHICAGO WANTED FOR ROBBERY

Detective Wolters and Special Officer Shannon of the New York Central lines returned Friday night from South Chicago where Joseph Lopczynski, wanted here for breaking into a freight car loaded with shoes had been captured in an attempt to rob a railroad depot of its mail sacks. Lopczynski was alleged to have been caught here in November after he had taken nearly \$100 worth of shoes from a freight car in the New York Central yards.

At that time Patrolmen Alby and Pallo were delegated to arrest him. When they approached the Lopczynski home, the latter escaped from a cellar window. Alby fired six times and threw his club at him but Lopczynski made his escape. While the officers were still watching the house, he came after a bundle of clothes thrown by his mother from a rear window and again made his escape.

HUMANE OFFICER ATTENDS TO 56 CASES IN MONTH

During the month of February Officer Moore of the Humane society attended to 56 cases, including the notifying of parents to take better care of their children, horse owners to take better care of their horses, and in one instance chickens were looked after. Four cases of neglect of families were investigated, one report of cruelty to animals and one person was arrested for child desertion. One horse was destroyed and 15 dogs and other animals.

The Humane society receives very few reports of cruelty as the general public seem to be fairly well educated in the principals of kindness, the officer's report shows. The committee on education will have the Humane essay prize offers ready for publication in a few days. The contests will be among the children of the city public and parochial schools only.

IS PHILOSOPHERS' DAY

Feast of St. Thomas Will Be Celebrated on Monday.

Monday is the day set aside by philosophers throughout the world as a day of feasting and exchanging of new theories. It is the feast day of the patron and the greatest philosopher St. Thomas Aquinas. At Notre Dame the philosophy students will give a banquet at 1 o'clock followed by a program and classes for the thinkers will be suspended for the day.



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DRESS UP

You know the occasions when the frock coat is correct dress; there are times when it's the only correct style for a gentleman.

Easter Sunday is one such occasion; all other Sundays are such occasions; and social affairs during the daytime, informal evening calls and even more formal functions.

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36 inch Curtain Scrim, a dozen patterns, white and cream, lace borders, yard—15c.
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Filet Curtain Nets, cream, white and ecru; some have borders, 36 inch, yard—25c.

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